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MEXICO'S WOES ARE GROWING.

The situation in Mexico today is so grave that it may be necessary for the United States to intervene in the internal affairs of the republic. The northern section of the country is seething with revolution, the rebels are in possession of the lines of communication, and President Madero merely indulges in large talk of his plans for crushing Zapatismo. While the president of Mexico, himself elevated to his exalted post by the clever use of bayonets and bullets, talks airily of crushing the latest revolution, the United States government finds it necessary to deploy 100,000 troops along the border to keep a semblance of the peace in that section, while other governments, either more fortunate or less fortunate, as one may view proximity to Mexico's political volcano, are clamoring that their interests and citizenship be protected.

Those who have followed the courses of countries addicted to the intoxicating influence of powder can see only one outcome, intervention by the United States in the affairs of Mexico. This government has been surfeited with a paternal policy, its protectorate over Cuba having cost a pretty penny, but conditions in Mexico are so intolerable, and the concern of foreign governments so grave, that, in very self-defense, the United States may find it necessary to assert itself and teach the Mexicans steadfastness of purpose, patriotism, and peaceful progress. After all these are as essential in governments as the three Rs which perplex the youth.

Diaz may have been the despot he was pictured by the self-seekers, of whom Madero was the head and Zapata one of his trusted lieutenants, but the fact remains that he was a leader and a ruler of whom Mexico sorely feels the need. Recent developments demonstrate that it was personal ambition that spurred on Madero and Zapata against Diaz rather than a desire to help Mexico, and it is the same motive that actuates Zapata in directing the present uprising. —San Francisco Post.

KEEPING MONEY IN THE COUNTRY.

The postal savings bank system is proving a success. Statistics gathered by the United States government demonstrate that millions in money are being kept in this country which heretofore were sent abroad by immigrants. It is shown that in nearly 90 per cent of deposits the money usually had been sent to foreign countries, the balance not being saved at all. The postoffice department is able to trace the savings through checking the foreign money-order business. In New York City alone the international money exchange has shown a decrease of \$6,524,479 since the establishment of the postal savings system as compared with a former period of the same length. The savings in Boston in six months aggregate \$321,931, and in other centers the postal savings show exceptionally large increases.

The idea of the postoffice department was to keep this money at home, as well as to attract the "stocking savings" from dark corners and make them of commercial value to the community. The scheme has succeeded, and will expand as the people generally come to learn of its convenient use.

It would appear that one Abraham Ruef, former political boss and present convict, is being shown a great many privileges during his temporary stay in the city he plundered. He is there to testify against his former pal, Eugene Schmitz, but to read the accounts of his movements, one acquainted with his case would be led to believe that he was an honored guest of the city. This effort to work up public sympathy for the ex-boss is rot. On the surface there is no apparent reason why he should not be treated just the same as any other convict.

An Alameda man played a game of solitaire to decide whether he should blow off his head or continue to live. The coroner got him. It was probably just as well, for had he lived and kept up that solitaire game he would probably have put the state to the expense of supporting him in a madhouse.

King Alfonso of Spain is raising side whiskers just like his father used to wear. Let's see what happened to father!

CONSISTENCY IS A JEWEL?

There are newspapers in this state that should be supporting Robert M. La Follette for the presidential nomination.

They will continue to have people think they are for him until they find he no longer has a show.

Then they will drop him and try Theodore Roosevelt.

They will support Roosevelt until he learns that he is not wanted by the country and withdraws.

Then they will support Taft.

Nod all that seems a reasonable enough procedure, when you consider how important it is deemed by many people to get on the winning side.

They profess to see no impropriety in their own swinging into the Taft column when the time comes; they are sure that their sudden conversion will be honest and natural, but they can not conceive how any newspaper can be for Taft from the first, unless it is crooked.

When the Lincoln-Roosevelt league endorsed La Follette and the state republican committee made him its choice, the proper thing for the Lincoln-Roosevelt league newspapers to do would have been to promote the campaign of that candidate.

But no; they had an indefinable feeling that La Follette was not a strong man, and, being confirmed in this impression, they have treated his campaign with silence.

If they believed in his principles you would think they would fight for him, wouldn't you? If he was worth a party indorsement, he was worth an occasional editorial boost, was he not?

SPEED MANIACS.

Superior Judge Bledsoe of San Bernardino and Judge Austin of the superior court at Fresno differ as to the constitutionality of the new state law providing that when the driver of an automobile is responsible for an injury to another person, proof that he was intoxicated makes the offense a felony. Judge Bledsoe holds the act to be unconstitutional. Judge Austin takes the contrary view and upholds the law. The decision of the supreme court will be required to determine the question.

Certain it is that an automobile in the control of a man who is intoxicated is a menace to life. But so is an automobile in charge of one afflicted with any other form of temporary insanity. Reckless driving is a menace to life. On exactly what theory a drunken driver is singled out for the penitentiary, contingent on results, while the man who drives madly from deliberate choice is exempted, appears to savor of unreasonable and arbitrary discrimination. The drivers of all machines should be held accountable for reckless driving, and especially where it results in injury.

The precautions against rabies are bearing results. A woman who was bitten by a dog twenty years ago demanded treatment the other day under the impression that she was suffering from hydrophobia. The rabies crusade will not hurt the peace of mind of any well-behaved and reasonable dog, but the chances are that it will scare a few human beings to death before long.

Lillian Russell has postponed her wedding to Alexander P. Moore, the Pittsburg publisher, until she is absolutely certain he has an income of at least \$60,000. Airy Fairy takes no chances. She has an eye to business, even in her love affairs.

According to statistics gathered by the government a large majority of the Indians of the country live in Oklahoma. The rest of the country is not peevish about it. It has most of the "good" Indians—under ground.

A man who lost his foot has decided to erect a tombstone over it. If every man who lost his goat decided to erect a tombstone as a consequence the marble cutters would have plenty of work.

Thought waves are said to have induced a Los Angeles preacher to shave. Barbers will find it to their interests to send out thought waves to this effect in all directions and at all times.

They say meat is aviating. Of course, the aviators are always aviating. When we attend the aviation meet, we meet the aviators. That is how the aviators get their meat.

Marriage to a foreigner cancels the citizenship of an American woman, according to Attorney General Webb. She does not deserve any better under the circumstances.

It's a whole lot pleasanter for the United States army to rush back and forth on expeditions to police the border than to rush into warfare. But it costs like sin.

The Examiner declares the nation needs more men like Abraham Lincoln. And Hearst was not mentioned once in the editorial. This is unusual modesty.

A stranger in Oakland went up against a poker game there with four queens and lost \$90. Nat Goodwin's four cost him more than that and he never squealed.

Texas will once more dodge bullets from guns of the warring factions across the Rio Grande. That's a duty Texas owes the remainder of the country.

With an unselfishness that is as touching as it is beautiful, Virginia democrats come forward with Senator Martin as a presidential sacrifice.

Probably Madero would be glad to give Uncle Sam the whole state of Chihuahua, if he could include the insurgents in the gift.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election is hereby called to be held in Tonopah School District, Nye County, Nevada, on February 20, 1912. Said election to be held at the primary public school house, in said district, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. of that day; said election being called for the purpose of submission to the qualified electors of said district, the question of said district contracting a bonded indebtedness in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of acquiring a site and erecting thereon a new public school building in said district; said bonds to be negotiable coupon bonds in the denomination of \$100 each, and the rate of interest to be 7 per cent per annum; interest payable semi-annually; that 125 of said proposed bonds be redeemable five years from date of issuance; 125 thereof be redeemable ten years from such date; 125 thereof be redeemable fifteen years from such date, and the remainder, to-wit: 125 thereof, be redeemable twenty years from such date. Said bonds to be sold at not less than par value. Principal and interest payable at the office of the County Treasurer of Nye County, in the Town of Tonopah, Nevada. Said bonds to be sold only to the highest and best bidder after notice of such proposed sale shall have been duly advertised according to law, in a newspaper published in said district.

All persons voting on the question so submitted shall vote by separate ballot, where on shall be placed the words: "FOR THE BONDS" and "AGAINST THE BONDS."

The voter, in addition to the general qualifications, must be a resident of said School District, whose name appears upon the official registry list of the voting precinct or precincts included in the said school district for the last preceding general election; provided, that any citizen of the United States who shall have resided in this state six months and in said school district thirty days next preceding said February 20, 1912, and whose name is not upon the official registry list, may vote at such special election by being properly registered according to law, by the Clerk of this Board of School Trustees, on application therefor duly made not more than eight or less than five days next prior to said February 20, 1912.

Inspectors of said election are A. W. Briggs, W. S. Bryden and J. E. McNamara.

W. W. BOOTH, President.
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